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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**In re application of:**

STEADING, David

**Group Art Unit:** 2611**Application No.** 09/748,905**Examiner:** Chung, Jason J.**Filed:** December 27, 2000**Title:** "System and Methods For Subscribers To View, Select and Otherwise Customize Delivery Of Programming Over A Communication System"**RECEIVED  
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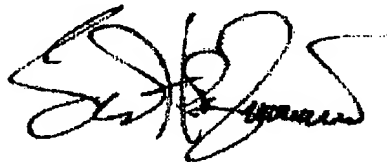
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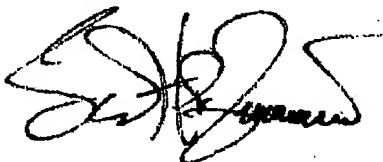
The Assignee herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for reply to the final Office Action dated March 11, 2005 for three (3) months, from June 11, 2005 to September 11, 2005. The Assignee herewith encloses authorization for the 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) large entity fee of \$1,020.

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U.S. Application No. 09/748,905 Examiner CHUNG, Art Unit 2611  
Submission of Amendment with RCE in Response to March 11, 2005 Final Office Action

If any issues remain outstanding, the Office is requested to contact the undersigned at  
(919) 387-6907 or [scott@scottzimmerman.com](mailto:scott@scottzimmerman.com).

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Scott P. Zimmerman', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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